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PROGRAM SCHEDULING

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**RESPONSE WITH RCE**

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Dear Sir,

This paper is responsive to the Advisory Action dated October 2, 2007. The Examiner has set a three-month period for response from the mailing date of the Final Office Action of June 7, 2007, with a maximum statutory period for reply of six months, thus making this response due on or before September 7, 2007. A petition for a two-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) and the accompanying fee are filed herewith.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.